

REMARKS

In view of the above amendments and the following remarks, reconsideration of the objections contained in the Office Action of June 13, 2005 is respectfully requested.

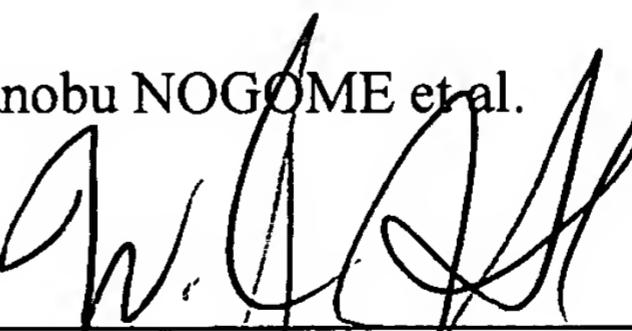
In the outstanding Office Action, the Examiner indicated that the present application is in condition for allowance except for several formal matters. In particular, the Examiner appeared to indicate that the arrangement of the specification is informal, and that each section of the specification should be preceded by a heading. As discussed with the Examiner on June 15, 2005, however, the substitute specification and abstract submitted on January 7, 2005 includes all of the required headings. Although some of the required headings were omitted, this was done for purposes of clarity because the corresponding sections are not present. Thus, it is submitted that the form of the specification fully complies with all of the present requirements, and the Examiner is requested to withdraw the objections to the specification.

The Examiner also objected to the abstract as not being clearly indicative of the invention to which the claims are directed. In this regard, as indicated above, the original abstract has now been cancelled and replaced with a new abstract which is clearly indicative of the invention to which the claims are directed. Consequently, it is submitted that the Examiner's objections to the original abstract have also been overcome.

In view of the above remarks and amendments, it is submitted that all of the Examiner's formal objections have been overcome, and that this application is now in condition for allowance. However, if the Examiner should have any comments or suggestions to help speed the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is requested to contact the Applicants' undersigned representative.

Respectfully submitted,

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